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SUBJ: IPAC DAILY INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY 130-88 (U)
(DIPS REC. I.D. PN 001) (U)

(U) INDIVIDUAL ITEMS MAY BE FURTHER DISSEMINATED TO U'S. INTELLIGENCE USERS BASED ON CLASSIFICATION AND NEED TO KNOW. REQUESTS TO RELEASE/DISCLOSE ANY INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS SUMMARY TO A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SHOULD BE FORWARDED TO COMIPAC FOR APPROVAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH CURRENT NATIONAL DISCLOSURE POLICY.

(U) FORWARD WITHOUT SERVICE. INFORMATION PERISHABLE

(U) THE SECURE TELEPHONE NUMBER FOR IPAC ANALYSTS IS 6223,
UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED.

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11) (S) CHINA: NAVAL EXERCISE

(Q) THE CHINESE NAVY REPORTEDLY CONDUCTED ITS FIRST EXERCISE UNDER SIMULATED NUCLEAR WAR CONDITIONS IN JUNE. THE SCENARIO INVOLVED AN UNIDENTIFIED NAVAL BASE AND EAST SEA FLEET UNITS DEFENDING AGAINST SUDDEN NUCLEAR ATTACK.

12) (S) CHINA

13) (S/EP) CHINA: ARMS SALES POLICY

(S/NP)

PRINCIPLES WHICH ALLEGEDLY FORM THE BASIS OF PRC ARMS SALES POLICY. THEY ARE: ARMS SHOULD IMPROVE THE NORMAL SELF-DEFENSE CAPABILITY OF THE RECIPIENT COUNTRY; THEY SHOULD BE CONDUCIVE TO PEACE, STABILITY, AND SECURITY OF THE CONCERNED REGION; AND THE ARMS SHOULD NOT INTERFERE IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF THE PURCHASING NATION.

(S/EP) THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF PRINCIPLES WAS PROBABLY INTENDED MORE FOR PROPAGANDA THAN FOR POLICY. BEIJING WILL USE THE PRINCIPLES AS A MEANS OF DENYING COVERT SALES AND JUSTIFYING OVERT SALES. ARMS SALES WILL LIKELY CONTINUE UNCHANGED.

14) (C/NF)

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